

Lesson 9 Worksheet

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1. Find the derivative of the following functions:

(a) $f(x) = x^3(5x - x^2)$

(b) $g(x) = (\sqrt{x} - x)(4x^3 + 7)$

(c) $y = \sin^2 x$

(d) $h(x) = 4e^x \cos x$

(e) $y = -3\sqrt{x}e^x$

(f) $y = xe^x \sin x$

2. Find the derivative of the following functions at the given point.

(a) $f(x) = x^{2/3}(2x - x^2)$ at $x = 8$

(b) $h(x) = x^2 \sin x$ at $x = \pi$

(c) $y = (\sqrt{x} + 1)(x - x^{3/2})$ at $x = 9$

(d) $g(x) = \sin x(\cos x + \sin x)$ at $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$

3. Find the equation of the tangent line for each of the functions in part (2) at the given point.

Answers:

1. a. $-5x^4 + 20x^3$

b. $14x^{5/2} - 16x^3 + \frac{7}{2\sqrt{x}} - 7$

c. $2 \sin x \cos x$

d. $4e^x \cos x - 4e^x \sin x$

e. $-3e^x \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} - 3\sqrt{x} \right)$

f. $e^x \sin x + xe^x \sin x + xe^x \cos x$

2. a. -72

b. $-\pi^2$

c. -17

d. $\frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{2}$

3. a. $y = 384 - 72x$

b. $y = \pi^3 - \pi^2 x$

c. $y = 81 - 17x$

d. $y = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2} \right) \left(x - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{4} \right)$